# These are the top 100 baby names for 2022 in the UK

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These are the most popular names in the UK (Picture: Getty Images/iStockphoto)

Deciding on a name for your new arrival is one of the hardest decisions to make.

Do you go traditional? A family name? Or something off the beaten track?

If you're still unsure, a list of the most popular names in the UK has been released for 2022.

The top 100 names for baby boys and girls has been released by BabyCentre – highlighting the go-to options parents are continuing to pick.

It seems girls' names have changed a little from previous years – while the boys have remained very similar.

And it looks like royals and high-profile events have affected the rankings this year.

Topping the list for the girls' names is 'Lily' – perhaps inspired by Prince Harry and Meghan's daughter Lillibet.

This was followed by Sophia in second place and Olivia dropping down to third position – after previously securing the top spot.

There’s been some change for girls’ names (Picture: Getty Images/iStockphoto)

Also, after years of hanging around in the top 100 names for girls, ‘Amber’ has dropped off the list for the first time – which could be down to the recent high-profile celebrity court case.

Interestingly, BabyCentre also did not record any instances of parents registering their baby boys as called Johnny so far this year.

For the boys little changed at the top, as Muhammad and Noah occupy first and second place.

But Oliver – which has solidly taken third place for several years – dropped down the list while Jack soared to take its place.

Freddie and Harry are also no longer in the top 10, while Ethan and Oscar climbed up the rankings to take eighth and ninth place.

The full list of top 100 names can be found below.

## Top 100 girls' names for 2022 in the UK:

1. Lily

2. Sophia

3. Olivia

4. Amelia

5. Ava

6. Isla

7. Freya

8. Aria

9. Ivy

10. Mia

11. Elsie

12. Emily
13. Ella
14. Grace
15. Isabella
16. Evie
17. Hannah
18. Luna
19. Maya
20. Daisy
21. Zoe
22. Millie
23. Rosie
24. Layla
25. Isabelle
26. Zara
27. Fatima
28. Harper
29. Nur
30. Charlotte
31. Esme
32. Florence
33. Maryam
34. Poppy
35. Sienna
36. Sophie
37. Aisha
38. Emilia
39. Willow
40. Emma
41. Evelyn

42. Eliana
43. Maisie
44. Alice
45. Chloe
46. Erin
47. Hallie
48. Mila
49. Phoebe
50. Lyla
51. Ada
52. Lottie
53. Ellie
54. Matilda
55. Molly
56. Ruby
57. Ayla
58. Sarah
59. Maddison
60. Aaliyah
61. Aurora
62. Maeve
63. Bella
64. Nova
65. Robyn
66. Arabella
67. Eva
68. Lucy
69. Eden
70. Gracie
71. Jessica

72. Amaya

73. Anna

74. Leah

75. Violet

76. Eleanor

77. Maria

78. Olive

79. Orla

80. Abigail

81. Eliza

82. Rose

83. Talia

84. Elizabeth

85. Gianna

86. Holly

87. Imogen

88. Nancy

89. Annabelle

90. Hazel

91. Margot

92. Raya

93. Bonnie

94. Nina

95. Nora

96. Penelope

97. Scarlett

98. Anaya

99. Delilah

100. Iris

## Top 100 boys' names for 2022 in the UK:

1. Muhammad
2. Noah
3. Jack
4. Theo
5. Leo
6. Oliver
7. George
8. Ethan
9. Oscar
10. Arthur
11. Charlie
12. Freddie
13. Harry
14. Zayn
15. Alfie
16. Finley
17. Henry
18. Luca
19. Thomas
20. Aiden
21. Archie
22. Teddy
23. Lucas
24. Ryan
25. Kai
26. Liam
27. Jaxon
28. Louie
29. William
30. Jacob

31. Ali
32. Caleb
33. Isaac
34. Joshua
35. Jude
36. James
37. Jayden
38. Adam
39. Arlo
40. Daniel
41. Elijah
42. Max
43. Tommy
44. Ezra
45. Mason
46. Theodore
47. Roman
48. Dylan
49. Reuben
50. Albie
51. Alexander
52. Toby
53. Yusuf
54. Logan
55. Rory
56. Alex
57. Harrison
58. Kayden
59. Nathan
60. Ollie

61. Ayaan
62. Elliot
63. Ahmad
64. Kian
65. Samuel
66. Hudson
67. Jason
68. Myles
69. Rowan
70. Benjamin
71. Finn
72. Omar
73. Riley
74. Zachary
75. Brodie
76. Michael
77. Abdullah
78. Matthew
79. Sebastian
80. Hugo
81. Jesse
82. Junior
83. Oakley
84. Abdul
85. Eli
86. Grayson
87. Mateo
88. Reggie
89. Gabriel
90. Hunter

91. Levi

92. Ibrahim

93. Jasper

94. Syed

95. Zion

96. Luke

97. Seth

98. Aaron

99. Asher

100. Blake

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